

REMARKS:

The independent claims were rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112 and have been amended in an effort to comply. The applicant notes that the apparatus and associated methods of the embodiments of the invention may be applied to any long trace that is subject to noise either from electromagnetic coupling, substrate noise or other noise source. As such, the claimed invention, as amended, includes applying the embodiments of the invention to any trace within a receive or transmit path of a radio transceiver. The specification is also amended to make some editorial changes without introducing new matter.

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